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- (d) & (e) The electoral roll of the area which was within the jurisdiction of the old Tiruvettipuram Temple Committee is ready, but the preparation of the roll for the remaining portion of the area was delayed for want of funds. The Hindu Religious Endowments Board, however, reported recently that the Committee would in any case be unable to bear the cost of an election and it has accordingly been decided to nominate members to the Committee for another year.

Mr. T. ADINARAYANA CHETTIYAR :—“ Will the hon. the Chief Minister consider the possibility of abolishing these committees instead of depriving the people of their statutory right of electing these committees ? ”

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—“ No, Sir.”

Mr. S. SATYAMURTI :—“ May I know if it is the policy of Government in every case in which the committee says it cannot bear the cost of an election, to postpone the election and go on nominating ? ”

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—“ The whole question is under consideration.”

Mr. T. ADINARAYANA CHETTIYAR :—“ May I know for how many years this postponement of elections can take place, in view of the Chief Minister's answer ? ”

The hon. Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN :—“ I cannot say.”

Appointment of the Commissioners of the Hindu Religious Endowments Board.

* 40 Q.—Sriman BISWANATH DAS Mahasayo: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) the date of appointment of each of the five Commissioners of the Hindu Religious Endowments Board;

(b) the date on which the appointment of each of the Commissioners terminates; and

(c) whether any complaints have been received against any of these Commissioners?

A.—(a) & (b) The dates of appointment of the Commissioners and the dates on which their appointments terminate are—

Name of Commissioner.	Date of appointment.	Date on which the appointment terminates.
M.R.Ry. Surya Rao Garu	7th April 1925.	7th April 1930.
„ E. S. Chidambaram Pillai		
„ Avargal.		
„ Rao Bahadur M. Chengayya		
„ Pantulu Garu.		
„ P. V. Nataraja Mudaliyar	30th April 1928.	30th April 1933.
„ Avargal.		
„ Diwan Bahadur C. V. Ranga	30th April 1928.	30th April 1933.
„ Reddi Garu.		

(c) No.